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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 17, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows: